

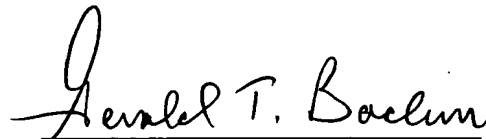
**REMARKS**

The last Office Action in the above-identified application and the comments of the Examiner have been carefully considered. The claims have been amended to obviate their objection noted in the Office Action and to place them in proper form for allowance.

The comments of the Examiner concerning the correction to Claims 1-31 to overcome their objection are acknowledged and appreciated. Each of the Examiner's suggestions noted on Page 2 of the Office Action has been incorporated in the pending claims. A number of other typographical errors were found and were corrected herein by amendment. It is respectfully urged that the amendments made herein to the claims overcome the objection to the claims and place the claims in proper form for allowance. It is noted and gratefully appreciated that the claims have only been objected to on formal grounds and not in view of any references which were cited.

Entry of the amendments to Claims 1, 2, 4-8, 10-12, 14, 16, 17, 19-21 and 23-29 and allowance of Claims 1-31 are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Gerald T. Bodner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "G".

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